

CLAIM AMENDMENTS

1 1. (currently amended) A coupler for a coaxial plug
2 connectable with a cable and capable of being used as an antenna
3 coupler comprising:

4 an outer conductive sleeve of metal,
5 an insulator within said sleeve and a contact element
6 within said insulator, said sleeve, said insulator and said contact
7 element being coaxial with one another, said sleeve being composed
8 of a plastically deformable sheet metal blank whose shape is formed
9 by stamping, punching, or cutting and whose sleeve shape is
10 produced by bending of the blank;

11 a support body having a prelocking element engaged on
12 insertion of the outer conductive sleeve in the support body; and
13 a locking slider engageable with at least one bulge-like
14 enlargement in the outer conductive sleeve for retaining the outer
15 conductive sleeve in the support body.

1 2. (currently amended) The coupler defined in claim 1
2 wherein the outer conducted conductive sleeve has a plug-receiving
3 region at one end, said plug-receiving region being surrounded by a
4 spring ring.

1 3. (original) The coupler defined in claim 2 wherein
2 the ring is received between formations of said outer conductive
3 sleeve on opposite sides of said spring ring.

4 4. (original) The coupler defined in claim 1 wherein
5 said insulator is formed with at least one circumferential outer
6 ring.

1 5. (original) The coupler defined in claim 4 wherein
2 said outer conductive sleeve has at least one bulge shaped
3 enlargement formed by upsetting, rolling and being and receiving
4 said ring.

1 6. (original) The coupler defined in claim 4 wherein
2 said insulator has at least one further ring spaced from the first
3 mentioned ring and dimensioned to enable said insulator to be
4 fitted axially into said outer conductive sleeve.

1 7. (original) The coupler defined in claim 4 wherein
2 said outer conductive sleeve has at least two bulge shaped
3 enlargements with a constricted region between them.

1 8. (original) The coupler defined in claim 7 wherein
2 said outer conductive sleeve has a third bulge shaped enlargement
3 between another of said bulge shaped enlargements and a cable
4 connector on the outer conductive sleeve.

1 9. (original) The coupler defined in claim 1 wherein
2 said outer conductive sleeve is rolled onto said insulator.

10. (canceled)